

## Colonel John S. Harwood for the House.



than 1,000 persons participated in a chase last night after a Chinaman, suspected of being Leon Ling, who is wanted for the murder of Blaise Sigel in New York. The pursuit led through the southeastern section of the city. A man noticed a Chinaman standing in a doorway at Sixth and Myrtle Streets about 9:45, and remarked to a number of boys that he resembled Leon. The boys immediately gave chase, with cries of "Lynch him!"

Closely followed by a crowd that was gaining in numbers at every square passed, the Chinaman ran up Sixth street and entered a laundry at No. 1638. The crowd by this time had grown to formidable proportions and was threatening violence.

Wanted to Lynch Him. Policemen Gregory and Creasy, of the Twenty-fifth District, entered the laundry and attempted to arrest the man, but the crowd was so violent in its hostility to the frightened Chinaman that a riot call was sent in.

When the patrol arrived full of policemen it looked as though there would be a riot. Cries of "Lynch him!" were heard. At Royal Hall, Seventh and Morris streets, a concert was being held, and the noise made by the crowd attracted the attention of the audience. In the rush to get out of the hall there was a small panic, but no one was injured.

From the Twenty-fifth District the prisoner was taken to City Hall by Detective Michael Johnson, where he proved to be Willie Yok, of 108 Cherry Street, New York. Yok said that he was on a visit and that he had been in this city for ten days. Satisfied that he was not the man wanted, the police set him free.

Laundries Searched. Every Chinese laundry, store and restaurant in Philadelphia was searched yesterday by City Hall detectives and district plainclothesmen for traces of Leon.

The police acted upon information from the New York authorities that Leon was being kept under cover by members of the On Leong Tong Society in this city. This had been confirmed by the finding of a letter addressed to the fugitive at a Washington hotel last Sunday advising him to flee to Baltimore and thence to Philadelphia. The detectives who were sent out from the City Hall had special instructions to make the exploration of Chinatown exhaustive. They were told to find, if possible, a leading member of the On Leong Tong who was said to have been absent from his store for several days.

### Notorious Prisoners Escape.

CONCORD, N. H., June 26.—Joseph Gowan, of Dover, implicated in the sensational Rockingham Junction murder three years ago, and William Chapman, of Portsmouth, today overpowered a keeper at the New Hampshire State Hospital for the Insane, where they were under observation, and made their escape.

Colonel John S. Harwood, a prominent business man, who has long been active in the political world, last night made a formal announcement of his candidacy for the House of Delegates, subject to the Democratic primary, which will be held on August 5.

Colonel Harwood is the senior member of the wholesale oil firm of Harwood Brothers, being regarded as one of the ablest business men in the city. Since his early manhood he has been an active worker in the ranks of his party, having given freely of his time and money to the cause of Democracy in all elections. He was twice chosen to the House of Delegates, having served with distinction in the sessions of 1893-4 and 1895-6, declining to stand for re-election at the end of the latter term. The Speakers of the House at these sessions were quick to recognize Colonel Harwood's ability as a sound business man, having placed him upon the Finance and other important committees, where he made a most enviable reputation. He has served as chief of staff for two Governors in recent years, being popular in social as well as political and business circles.

Colonel Harwood takes an active interest in humane institutions, having long been the chairman of the Finance Committee of the Laurel Industrial School. He is popular among his fellow-citizens generally, and the hundreds of voters who have solicited him to run are confined to no particular class. Colonel Harwood was one of the founders of the Business Men's Club, having been chairman of its Finance Committee since its organization. He is in close touch with the T. P. A., and has long been the chairman of the Legislative Committee of the national association.

Friends of Colonel Harwood in all sections of the city have expressed their purpose to take up his fight and carry it to a successful issue as soon as the contest for the House opens up actively. They appear confident that he will be one of the five men selected to represent the city in the next House of Delegates, which will meet here in January, 1910.

## DOBIE ELECTED; LEWIS WINS, TOO

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valley of the Rappahannock, from Fredericksburg to the Chesapeake Bay, and nothing was urged against him, except that he is a political partisan.

It appears from the action of the Board that there are two sides to this proposition, for Mr. Lee and Mr. Curlett, who are known to be the mortal political enemies of Dr. Lewis, were on the ground to fight him, having put up a candidate representing their faction.

Keesell Now Satisfied. There has been much talk of opposition to the appointments of the board in some cases when the Senate meets next winter, the latter body being clothed with the authority of confirmation before the appointments become effective. The insurgents, however, have lost one of their strongest leaders in the Senate, by reason of the fact that Senator Barney Keesell, well known among the politicians of the State as the "Tall Sycamore of Cub Run," who came here foaming at the mouth because of the uncertainty of the election of his old superintendent, got all he asked for. Senator Keesell came to Richmond with a large delegation of influential Democrats from his county in the interest of Captain George H. Hulvey, who has been the superintendent of Rockingham county since the administration of the late Fitzhugh Lee as Governor. The election of a superintendent for Rockingham was deferred at the last meet-

ing. This action on the part of the board thoroughly aroused the influential men of the county, the result being that they came here in large numbers, headed by Senator Keesell. The latter was one of the few men admitted to the meeting of the board for the purpose of making a statement. When he had concluded Captain Hulvey was reappointed.

Echols Leaves Out. Former Lieutenant-Governor Echols, who is also a member of the Senate, was not so fortunate. He was admitted, for the purpose of advocating the claims of E. O. Peale, of Augusta county, for re-election, but when the board came to accept the position of State School Examiner, to succeed Harris Hart in the Third District, who was elected superintendent for the city of Roanoke. The former action of the board in consolidating Clarke, Frederick and Winchester into one division was rescinded. M. M. Lynch, the incumbent, having been elected for the present division, which is composed of the city of Winchester and the county of Frederick.

The board elected Judge Theodore S. Garnett a member of the State Library Board to succeed himself.

## TRIED TO PRESENT TRUNK TO FRIEND

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Chinese tongs, and their possible affiliation with the case. Ong Fung told the authorities that nothing was known in Chinatown to connect Leon with either of the tongs, and that apart from his membership in the Chinese Masons, (which the Masons deny), the only other society to which he belonged was the Four Brothers, which included all the descendants of four fabulous demi-gods, who lived in the cloudy days before even Chinese history began, and who gather now for nothing more violent than to vaunt their descent.

More Chase Chinaman. PHILADELPHIA, June 26.—More

## KILLED WOMAN; THEN TRIED TO BLAME FRIENDS

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been left alone all day and had become nervous and irritated. Sutton did not want to exonerate, but something very like curiosity nipped his feet. He had never seen the windows of the bungalow curtained before, and that interested him. A blanket was drawn over one, newspapers pinned over others. The quarrel inside ran higher, and Sutton finally pulled himself away.

"This is no place for church-goers," he said, dryly, when he returned to Powell.

Burned Up Some "Straw." Next morning quite early George Powell saw Neighbor Eastman very busy over a bonfire back of the bungalow, piling on fuel, poking in the embers, and sending his eyes around, keen as a hawk's, while about his job. Powell observed he was being watched. From that moment "Lame Bob" began to plan ways to escape detection and implicate others. Previously, as the whole story shows, a six-year-old child could have traced every movement he made.

On Wednesday, after Eastman had been to Baltimore, as will appear, he clapped George Powell on the back, affecting greater friendliness than was common.

"You did me an awfully good turn when you loaned me those boards that day," said he. "Now I'm going to return the favor. I noticed you looking at me yesterday morning when I was burning some stuff. I was getting rid of the straw that came with a set of dishes I ordered the other day. Straw is a bad thing to leave around when the wind blows."

"Now there are sixty dishes in that set, and I don't need so many. I'm going to give you thirty, split with you."

One of His Yarns. He followed with another twist—the first step in a string of lies meant to shoulder off the crime. Powell was the first man he spoke to about the party of friends from New York that he had invited to a dinner at the bungalow. He spun a yarn about the strange and amusing adventures the city people had. There was an argument between him and a New Yorker about oysters.

He said he was from Missouri! rattled Eastman, "said they didn't grow here. I got out my motorboat and the whole party went off in the middle of the night to chase the little oyster to his lair. Did we get any? George, don't ask foolish questions! We got lost—that's what we got—lost on the boom of old mother Chesapeake!"

## Monday Sale of Flaxon, Queen of White Goods

Flaxon, you know, is the latest and richest development in choice white goods. A linen thread finish that is so durable that it wears like iron, yet as fine and dainty as the highest price piece of linen you ever put your hand on. It is ideal and popular for ladies' dresses, and for children's wear. Monday you save on every yard!

### Parasol Specials

Not in years have we shown prettier, more durable Parasols than this season. And what is equally as important, we are selling them at under the market prices.

Parasols—Black and white plaid or solid pink, blue or tan. Splendid \$1.50 value at only \$1.00

Parasols—Tan, with solid blue, green or red border; very stylish and pretty handles; regular \$2.00 value at only \$1.50

Parasols—Black and colored silk, hemstitched border, and a few dozen to be sold Monday \$2.00 only at \$1.00

### Undermuslins

In this sale are some remarkable values. The garments are warm weather weight and style, and are trimmed very beautifully. Note the saving on this lot, recently purchased low.

Muslin Drawers—Extra good quality, open or closed style, tucked or trimmed; Monday 25c

Drawers, Gowns, Skirts and Corset Covers—These garments are daintily trimmed and carefully finished. Because there are some muslin ones, reduced Monday 50c

Gowns and Skirts—Made of fine long cloth. Most any of the new warm weather styles. The prettiest sort of trimming; \$1.50 garments at \$1.00

Boys' 25c Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers—Several dozen from a special purchase to go on sale Monday at only 19c

### 75c Kimonos, 50c

Cool, Restful, Pretty Short Dressing Sacques and Kimonos, in light and dark lawn; 75c grade at 50c

## Wash Skirts, Waists, Suits, All Reduced

A reduction sale that comes at the psychological moment, right now when the days demand cool, washables that lend charm and comfort. This is a sale to close out lots bought late and at our price.

Women's Wash Skirts—In purest white and the loveliest shades of blue, tan, green or colored stripes. A ringing \$1.50 value offered 98c quick buyers Monday at 98c

Two Unusual Waist Specials—One made of madras, white or colored, and worth 75c; another, \$1.50 grade, made of white lawn and daintily trimmed at collar, front and sleeves, at \$1.00

\$5.00 Dresses—Exquisite creations in richest lavender, and one-piece style. Daintily trimmed, and gives the body the graceful lines so desired; Monday \$3.89

\$6.00 Dresses—These are made in one-piece, and have the prettiest trimming that adds much to the effectiveness of the beauty. White or colors, as you prefer. Monday they go on sale at \$4.98

### 2--Corsets--2

Corsets—Short, medium and long, with bust, long back and excellent supporters attached. Special 50c

Corsets—Medium or long, best quality batiste, two pairs supporters, high bust, long back. Monday \$1.00

Gauze Vests—Misses' 10c Vests, with taped neck and sleeves, at 5c. Ladies' 12 1-2c Vests, Swiss ribbed, full sizes, only 8c

### \$4.00 Skirts, \$2.98

This lot consists of Wash Skirts, in the very newest of styles and in all sizes. While it is true they are a sample line, they are the best the manufacturer had of their grade. Monday \$2.98

\$1.25 Lawn Waists, 83c

A number of \$1.00 and \$1.25 White Lawn Waists, that are elaborately trimmed, to sell Monday at 83c

## \$1.00 Voiles, 54c; 50c Silk, 25c

\$1.00 All-Wool Voiles—42 inches wide; just the right weight for the season, and a splendid June bargain at 54c

50c Silk—Shantung Anglairs, 27 wide, lavender, green, blue and tan; special Monday 25c

**Faulkner & Warriner Co.**  
FIRST AND BROAD STS.

### MONDAY SPECIALS

15c quality at 12 1-2c  
25c quality at 19c  
35c quality at 25c

### Low Domestic

Simply a harvest of values, and ample varieties of goods.

12 1-2c Bleached Cotton—Splendid 4-4 goods; long cloth finish and as fine as Alpine rose. For Monday only we will sell this 12 1-2c goods at 98c

\$1.25 All Pure Linen Sheet—Full 2 1-2 yards wide, full bleached and Irish make. Monday this lot will be put on sale, but only 5 yards to a buyer at 69c

19c Bleached Turkish Towels, extra heavy size, 21x46 inches, and reduced to only 12c

6 1-4c Apron Gingham—In pieces of 10 to 20 yards; all sizeable checks; brown and blue colors; Monday at 3c

12 1-2c value Colored Lawns, 5 3-4c—White grounds with small black figures and small floral patterns, blues, pinks and reds; 28 inches wide; for Monday 54c

10c White Plaid Muslin, 5c—600 yards White Plaid Lawns, suitable for waists, aprons, dresses and kimonos, 27 inches wide; for Monday only 5c

\$2.00 Linen-Finish Corsets—right lengths, with large buttons, at 98c

\$2.00 Wash Suits, carefully made cut in late styles, each, Monday 59c

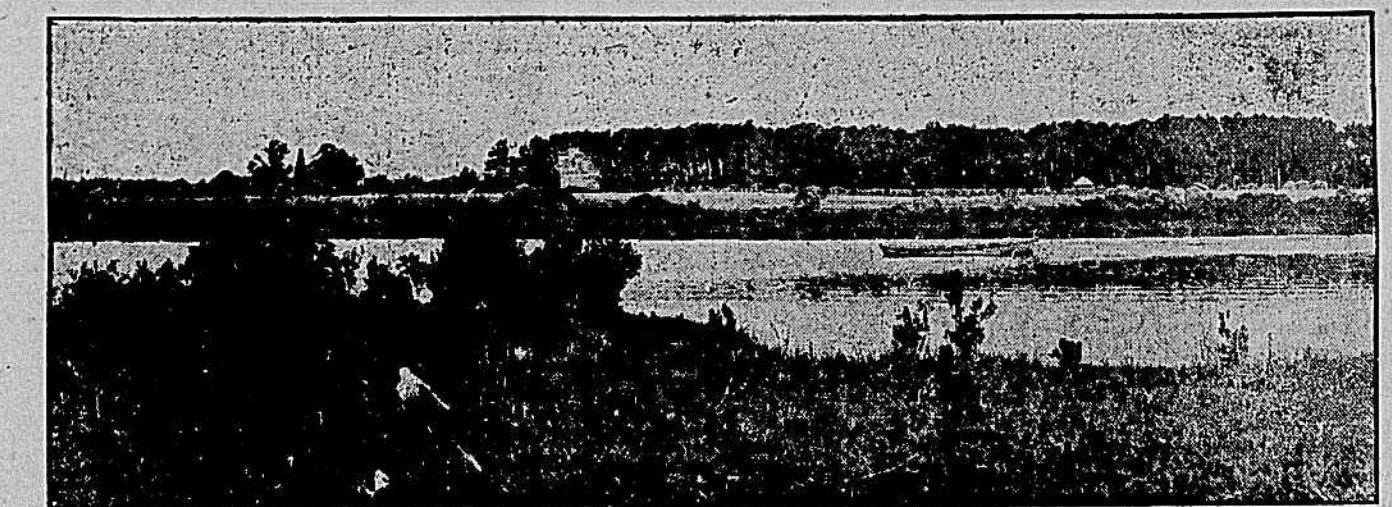
10c and 15c Wash Belts, 5c

10c value Zephyrette, 6 7-8c—1,000 Simpson's Eddystone Zephyrette, double printing, fast colors, 27 inches wide, for shirtwaists, ladies' suits, children's dresses and men's shirts; all colors, stripes and checks 6c

### \$1 Silk Gloves, 59c

Ladies' \$1.00 Silk Gloves, white, black and colors, rich quality silk; special Monday 59c

## SCENE AND PRINCIPALS IN SENSATIONAL MARYLAND TRAGEDY



Scene of Eastman's suicide, from photograph taken shortly after shot was fired.



MRS. EDITH MAY THOMPSON WOOD—Victim of "Lame Bob."

ROBERT E. EASTMAN, Who killed himself after murdering girl.



VINIE BRADCOMBE, Eastman's wife.

## EASTMAN'S WIFE BELIEVES IN HIM

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)

NEW YORK, June 26.—Mrs. Robert E. Eastman, known on the stage by her maiden name of Vinnie Bradcombe, left today for St. Michael's, Md., to take charge of her husband's body and to see what property there is. At her home in New York, Eastman repeated her statement of Friday night that she did not believe her husband had been the murderer of Mrs. Woodill. She based her belief on his gentleness and kindness to her, whom he abandoned late in the fall. Mrs. Eastman said she had not heard of Mrs. Woodill until after the murder.

As soon as it was practically assured that the dead man was Eastman, his wife was asked by the police to St. Michael's, Md., to come to St. Michael's. She replied that she had no money, and State's Attorney Turner offered to pay her expenses.

Was This Letter a Fake, Too? There was a suspicion here to-night that the letter signed "Hawthorne" found in Eastman's bungalow, might not be a genuine document, and might have been contrived by Eastman to throw suspicion on casual acquaintances of his in New York, one of whom had been a witness against him.

Eastman was known to most Wall Street writers. The name of Hawthorne, whose name the broker probably had learned. The only Hawthorne whom Eastman was known to have known was an artist who died more than a year ago.

Beginning on Saturday, July 3, this sale will close every Saturday at 5 P. M. and every other day at 5 P. M. during the months of July and August. J. B. MOSBY & CO., Inc.

